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E. O. 11652: XGDS-1

TAGS: EAID, JO, SA

SUBJ: US AID TO JORDAN

REF: AMMAN 1171

1. IN MAKING APPROACH TO SAG REQUESTED BY JORDANIAN PRIME MINISTER ( PARA 4 REFTEL) AMBASSADOR THACHER SHOULD SAY THAT USG HAS MADE ALL- OUT EFFORT TO ASSIST JORDAN. OUR TOTAL AID PACKAGE FOR JORDAN THIS YEAR WILL RUN TO \$105 MILLION. THIS INCLUDES \$55 MILLION IN SUPPORTING ASSISTANCE, \$40 MILLION IN MAP FOR JORDANIAN ARMY MODERNIZATION PROGRAM, AND A \$10 MILLION DEVELOPMENT LOAN WHICH HAS ALREADY BEEN SIGNED. FIGURE OF \$55 MILLION FOR SUPPORTING ASSISTANCE REPRESENTS AN INCREASE OF \$5 MILLION OVER \$50 MILLION US SUPPORTING ASSISTANCE FOR JORDAN LAST YEAR. THIS INCREASE WAS UNDERTAKEN AT DIRECTION OF PRESIDENT FOLLOWING FULL SCALE USG REVIEW OF OUR OWN PROGRAM AND JORDAN' S PRES- SING NEEDS. WE WOULD LIKE TO HAVE GONE FURTHER BUT FACE  
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SEVERE LIMITATIONS ON FOREIGN ASSISTANCE FUNDS; EVEN MODEST INCREASE WE HAVE UNDERTAKEN IN SUPPORTING ASSISTANCE PROGRAM FOR JORDAN LIKELY TO BE AT EXPENSE OF OTHER COUNTRY PROGRAMS.

2. AMBASSADOR SHOULD STRESS THAT IN VIEW OF MAGNITUDE OF EFFORT USG MAKING WE STRONGLY HOPE SAG WILL BE ABLE TO INCREASE SUBSTANTIALLY ITS CONTRIBUTION TO GOJ, WHICH WE THINK IS BEST CONTRIBUTION THAT CAN BE MADE TO STABILITY OF AREA AND TO SAG'S OWN SECURITY. ROGERS

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